

ABSTRACT

An assembly system for coupling a first pipe element (2) and a second pipe element (3) has a circumferential clamping device (5) to be applied on the outside of the ends of the pipe elements and to be tightened around the same when the two pipe elements (2, 3) are placed end-to-end. The system also has a coupling device (6) to be arranged between the ends of the first and the second pipe elements (2, 3) and beneath the circumferential clamping device (5), so as to align and/or hold the two pipe elements (2, 3) during the assembly. A method of coupling a first pipe element (2) and a second pipe element (3) is also disclosed, as well as a coupling device (6) and use of the assembly system (1).